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**For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MANAGING A REMOTE DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM**

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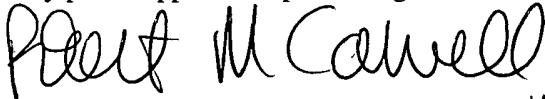
21 Pages of Specification including an Abstract  
 5 Pages of Claims ( Claims 1 - 20)  
 4 Sheet(s) of formal drawings  
 A Declaration and Power of Attorney  
 Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation  
 Information Disclosure Statement  
 Form PTO 1449 and References AA - AE

**CLAIMS AS FILED**

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